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Reference: October Monthly (9/1/94-9/30/94) and Amended October
Monthly (9/1/94-9/30/94) Reports

Dear Mr. Jacob:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Please provide a Schedule A to support the entry reported on Line 16 of the Detailed Summary Page. All refunds received from federal candidates and committees must be itemized on Schedule A regardless of the amount of the refund. 2 U.S.C. §434(b)

-Line 16 of the Detailed Summary Page appears to disclose the receipt of a refund(s) of an excessive contribution(s) made to a federal candidate(s) (pertinent portion(s) attached). The Act precludes a multi-candidate committee from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election. 2 U.S.C. §441a(s)

The Commission notes the receipt of the refund(s) of the excessive contribution(s). Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund(s) of the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

-Records at the Commission indicate that your committee and your affiliates may have made contributions which exceed the limits set forth in the Act (pertinent portions attached). 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes multicandidate committees and their affiliates from making contributions to a candidate for federal office which, when combined, exceed \$5,000 per election.

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